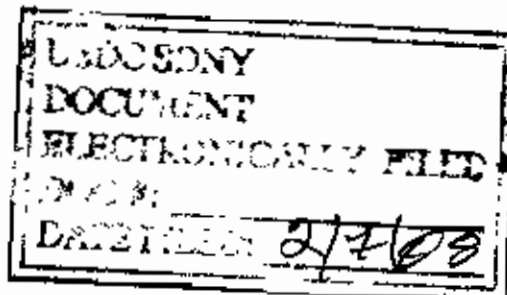


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- v. -

PEDRO ORTIZ,  
a/k/a "Angel Lebron,"

Defendant.

ORDER

08 Cr. 49 (NRB)

WHEREAS, with the defendant's consent, his guilty plea allocation was taken before United States Magistrate Judge Gabriel W. Gorenstein on January 25, 2008;


WHEREAS, a transcript of the allocation was made and thereafter was transmitted to the District Court; and

WHEREAS, upon review of that transcript, this Court has determined that the defendant entered the guilty plea knowingly and voluntarily and that there was a factual basis for the guilty plea;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the defendant's guilty plea is accepted.

SO ORDERED:

Dated: New York, New York  
~~January~~ 5, 2008  
February

  
Hon. Naomi Reice Buchwald  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE